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Subject: Request for Ninety (90) Day Extension for PROTECO Site Reconnaissance Visit

Dear Ms. Luna:

I write on behalf of the PROTECO Site potentially responsible parties' group ("Group"), pursuant to Paragraph 34(a) of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study ("Order") and Paragraph I of the Statement of Work attached to the Order as Appendix C. In accordance with the Order and SOW, we are submitting this request for a ninety (90) day extension of time starting upon EPA and Puerto Rico Department of Natural and Environmental Resources ("DNER") approval of our Site Clearing Plan submitted on May 24, 2021, to the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") for review and comment, to initiate the schedule for the site reconnaissance visit.

Site reconnaissance is currently scheduled for June 3, 2021. The Group submitted its Site Clearing Plan to the EPA for review and comment on May 24, 2021. As described in the plan, the Group proposes to clear the vegetation at the site in order to affect a complete survey of the site and allow for a safe site reconnaissance visit.

Site reconnaissance necessarily must await EPA's written approval of the Site Clearing Plan. Once EPA's approval of the Site Clearing Plan has been obtained, as well as DNER's approval and/or indication of substantive requirements, the Group will proceed with the vegetation clearing work and survey work at the site as quickly as possible.

Please contact me you require additional information or have any questions regarding this request. We look forward to hearing from you in the near future regarding this request for a schedule extension.

Sincerely,

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